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SUBJECT: Conference on Recent Advances in FR of Polymeric Materials SEP 14 P # 38

DATE OF CALL:September 10, 1998

CALLER: Professor Menachem Lewin, Polytechnic University

PERSON CALLED: James F. Hoebel, Engineering Sciences Landschel

SUMMARY OF CALL: Professor Lewin is arranging the program for the 10th conference, to take place May 24-26, 1999, in Stamford, CT. Mr. Hoebel has provided a presentation during the past two conferences, on CPSC fire-related projects involving polymeric materials. Dr. Lewin had earlier invited Mr. Hoebel to prepare a paper for the 1999 conference.

Dr. Lewin had hoped for an abstract by September 1, 1998. Mr. Hoebel told Dr. Lewin that his retirement plans were uncertain, so he should not make a commitment for participation. However, CPSC is considering the possibility of a paper on our upholstered furniture activities involving FR treated upholstery fabrics. I told him that Dr. Michael Babich might provide a review and update of these activities that would be of particular interest to the conference and also of substantial benefit to CPSC and Dr. Babich. Dr. Lewin agreed, and would very much like to receive an abstract from Dr. Babich.

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